

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The death on Monday morning, February 26th, in Baltimore, of Dr. John Williamson Palmer, poet, prose writer, editor and physician, in the eighty-first year of his age, recalls the facts that he was a native of Baltimore, a graduate of the University School of Medicine, a Confederate soldier, a world-wide traveler and one of the editors of the Century and Standard dictionaries. Probably, one of the best remembered of his poems is the following, known as Stonewall Jackson's Way.

Come, stack arms, men. Pile on the rails.

Stir up the campfire bright;  
No growling if the canteen falls,  
We'll make a roaring night.  
Here Shenandoah brawls along,  
There burly Blue Bells echo strong,  
To swell the brigade's rousing song  
Of "Stonewall Jackson's way!"

We see him now—the queer slouched hat  
Cocked o'er his eye askew;  
The shrewd, dry smile; the speech so  
pat.

So calm, so blunt, so true,  
The "Blue Light" knows 'em well;  
Says he, "That's Danke—he's fond  
of shell!"  
Lord save his soul; we'll give him—  
Well,  
That's Stonewall Jackson's way!"

Shen! ground arms; kneel all; caps  
off!  
Old Blue Light's going to pray.  
Strange the fool that dares to scoff!  
Attention! It's his way.  
Appealing from his native sod,  
In forma pauperis to God—  
"Lay bare thy arm; stretch forth thy  
rod!  
Amen." That's Stonewall Jackson's  
way.

He's in the saddle now. Fall in!  
Steady! the whole brigade!  
Hill's at the ford—cut off; we'll win  
His way out, ball and blade!  
What matter if our shoes are worn?  
What matter if our feet are torn?  
Quick step! we're with him before morn.  
"That's Stonewall Jackson's way!"

The sun's bright lances rout the mists  
Of morning, and, by George!  
Here's Longstreet, struggling in the  
mists.

Hemmed in an ugly gorge;  
Pope and his Dutchmen, whipped before,  
"Bayonets and grape!" hear Stonewall  
roar;  
"Charge Stuart! Pay off Ashby's score!"  
In "Stonewall Jackson's way!"

Ah, maidens, wait, watch and yearn  
For news of Stonewall's band!  
Ah, widow, read with eyes that burn  
That ring upon thy hand!  
Ah, wife, sew on, pray on, hope on!  
Thy life shall not be all forlorn!  
The foe had better never been born  
That gets in "Stonewall Jackson's  
way!"

### Denoon—Prosser.

"Greenledge," the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wright, at Doswell, Va., was the scene of a quiet, but pretty wedding yesterday evening at 7 o'clock, when their sister, Marie Franklin Prosser, became the bride of Mr. Hugh Denoon, of Richmond. The Rev. Robert A. Goodwin, of St. John's Episcopal Church, officiated. The bride wore a white and blue gown, and carried a bouquet of white and blue flowers. The groom wore a tuxedo and carried a sword.

The wedding chorus was Lohengrin, played as the bride party entered. The only attendants were Miss Emma Prosser, youngest sister of the bride, as maid of honor, and Mr. Arthur Conway Denoon, youngest brother of the groom, as best man.

The bride entered with her father, Mr. David Berkeley Prosser, and was given away by him. She was escorted to the altar by Mr. Arthur Conway Denoon, youngest brother of the groom, as best man.

The maid of honor wore white tulle and carried a bouquet of white and blue flowers. The groom wore a tuxedo and carried a sword.

After a wedding tour through the North, Mr. and Mrs. Denoon will be at home to their friends in Richmond.

Miss Prosser is the daughter of Mr. David B. Prosser, of Richmond, but has made her home recently with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Wright, at Doswell. Mr. Denoon is connected with the real estate firm of C. L. and H. L. Denoon.

No invitations were issued on account of recent bereavement in the families of both bride and groom.

### Ridley—Godwin.

The Norfolk Dispatch of Monday says: The many friends of Dr. Francis Thomas Ridley will not doubt be surprised to hear of his approaching marriage, on March 14th, to Miss Nettie Morris Godwin, of Charlottesville. The ceremony will take place in Richmond at the residence of Mrs. LeFevre, a friend of the bride. On account of recent affliction the marriage will be very quiet, no invitations having been issued.

Dr. Ridley is now resident physician for the Virginia Portland Cement Company at Fordwick, Va., where he holds a very fine position.

After a few days' wedding trip, Dr. Ridley and bride will visit his mother, Mrs. Anna Ridley, in Court Street.

### PATRIOTIC SOCIETIES.

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Gowns, extra size, made of good muslin, yoke formed of hemstitched and pin tucks, V-shaped neck, finished with lawn hemstitched ruffle, 70c.

Petticoats, made of soft Cambric, has wide ruffle with two rows of cluny lace insertion and lace edging, 60c.

Petticoats, made of soft Cambric, lawn ruffle, with three wide hemstitched tucks and ruffle of embroidery edging, 70c.

## Poems You Ought to Know.

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

No. 757.

### MAY MARGARET.

By THEOPHILE MORZIALS.

Kendal is a town in Westmoreland, Eng. Other selections from this author and his biographical sketch have already been printed in this series.

IF you be that May Margaret  
That lived on Kendal Green,  
Then where's that sunny hair of yours  
That crowned you like a queen?  
That sunny hair is dim, lad,  
They said was like a crown—  
The red gold turned to gray, lad,  
The night a ship went down.

If you be yet May Margaret,  
May Margaret now as then,  
Then where's that bonny smile of yours  
That broke the hearts of men?  
That bonny smile is wan, lad,  
That once was glad as day—  
And O! 'tis weary smiling  
To keep the tears away.

If you be yet May Margaret,  
As yet you swear to me,  
Then where's that proud, cold heart of yours  
That sent your love to sea?  
Ah! me, that heart is broken,  
The proud cold heart has bled  
For one light word outspoken,  
For all the love unsaid.

Then Margaret, my Margaret,  
If all you say be true,  
Your hair is yet the sunniest gold,  
Your eyes the sweetest blue.  
And dearer yet and fairer yet  
For all the coming years—  
The fairer for the waiting,  
The dearer for the tears!

This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, Oct. 11, 1903. One is published each day.

### AMONG THE CLUBS.

#### Literary Round Table.

The Literary Round Table at the Woman's Club will have "The Garden of Allah" under consideration this afternoon.

Miss Annie Stegar Winston will direct the discussion.

#### First Reception.

The first reception given by the Woman's Club in Norfolk on Monday evening was a beautiful affair.

Mrs. Carrington Cabell received with Miss Susan Buchanan, Mrs. Allen, H. H. Hanchel, Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mrs. Taylor Ham, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. George Cabell, Mrs. E. B. Hodges, Mrs. Starke Sutton, Mrs. Nat Greene, Mr. John B. Jenkins, Mrs. William H. Taylor, Mrs. Francis Ward, Miss Nannie Wilkinson, Miss Nan Kennett, Miss Carrie Walters, Miss Mary Belle Glennan, Miss M. L. Drummond and Miss Ghieslin.

Incidental to the reception many members responded to the request for bringing books for the club library, and as a result about one hundred volumes have been added and will form a nucleus for a more extensive library in the future.

One of the most pleasant events of the evening was the singing of Miss Elizabeth Taylor, who responded to several encores.

#### Mothers' Club.

Madison Mothers' Club will hold an important meeting Thursday, March 1st, at 4 P. M., at the corner of Madison and Cary Streets.

Miss Alice Parker will make an address on "Imagination," and Mrs. Minor will talk on the library feature, of the new work to be taken up by the "Federation of Mothers' Clubs."

All interested in the welfare of children are cordially invited to attend and make this an enthusiastic meeting.

#### Visited Capitol.

A number of young ladies from the Richmond Art Club visited the Capitol Monday and created quite a sensation among the Virginia solons in the Senate chamber and hall of the House of Delegates.

The young ladies had sketch books and pencils, and occupied themselves in making drawings from life, selecting senators and delegates as their models.

Their presence and occupation proved very distracting to legislators, and parties were sent to the gallery with a worded request that the young ladies send down their books for inspection.

Captain Robert E. Lee was much com-

plimented at finding that nearly all the books contained his picture.

### ENTERTAINMENTS.

#### Mrs. Williams's Reception.

Mrs. D. T. Williams gave a large and beautiful reception Tuesday, from 5 to 7 P. M., in her home, No. 219 East Franklin Street.

Parlors and hall were beautifully decorated in palms, Southern amulax, ferns and American Beauties. In the dining room the color scheme was carried out in pink and white, the table, with its lovely lace centerpiece and doilies, being set in cut glass and silver, and filled with the most tempting delicacies.

Mrs. Williams received with Mrs. S. P. Ficklin, of Washington; Mrs. H. Carroll Montague, Mrs. T. A. Miller and Mrs. Larkin Glazebrook. The reception committee was assisted in doing the honors by Miss Alma Cecil and Miss Carrie Neal.

Mrs. S. H. Boykin presided at the coffee table and Mrs. Edgar Lafferty poured tea. In a charmingly decorated Japanese tea room, opening from the hall, and filled with Japanese bric-a-brac and curios, Mrs. Charles Watkins was at punch bowl.

Many callers filled the parlors with gaiety and animation, and the occasion, characterized by the merry spirit of Mardi Gras, was extremely agreeable, alike to hostess and guests.

#### Governor Dinner Host.

One of the handsomest entertainments of Tuesday was the dinner given by Governor Swannson, at which members of both branches of the Legislature were invited to meet Lieutenant-Governor J. Taylor Ellyson.

Among those present were Senators Lassiter, Phlegar, T. H. Wickham, Thomas, Wilmer Sims, J. Boyd Sears and J. L. Campbell; Delegates Roger Gregory, Jr., A. R. Coleman, M. M. Green, G. T. Lane, W. W. Old, M. E. Barrett and R. W. Withers.

Floral decorations were beautiful, and the menu very fine. The Governor proved the most genial and charming of hosts.

#### Personal Mention.

A meeting of the Bell Bryan Day Nursery will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Mr. John Boyd Blair attended the Gray's annual ball, given in Montgomery, Ala., February 2nd.

Miss Gettie McGuire is improving steadily at St. Luke's Hospital, as her many friends will be glad to know.

The Pi Lambda Sigma Fraternity, of Fredericksburg College, assisted by the young ladies' society, gave a highly appreciated intermediate celebration in that city on Friday night last.

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club met Monday evening with Miss Lou Leigh, at No. 22 West Main Street. Four tables engaged, the highest scores being made by Mrs. Correll and Miss Guillaume. The club will meet Monday evening with Mrs. John Hunter, at No. 401 East Grace Street.

Portsmouth Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, directed a band concert and concert given by Mr. Robert L. Russell, in Portsmouth, Y. M. C. A. Hall Monday evening.

Miss Louise Cooke, of the University of Virginia, who has been the guest in Richmond, of Mrs. George Ben Johnston, left for her home on Saturday last.

Mrs. Pendleton Boatwright, of Norfolk, is visiting relatives in Richmond.

At a meeting of the Maryland Society of Colonial Dames Monday afternoon at the rooms of the society in Baltimore, an illustrated talk on Ceylon was given.

Mr. Marshall Harwood spent Sunday in Portsmouth, with Dr. and Mrs. Charles Culpeper.

Mrs. Allan R. Hanchel, of Norfolk, gave a luncheon at the Virginia Club on Saturday last, in honor of Miss Eleanor Robson.

Mrs. Robert Boshier and Miss Eleanor Boshier are in New York.

The Winchester Evening Star of Monday says:

Mrs. Richard E. Byrd returned to her home here on Saturday evening after a visit to Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, where she was extensively entertained. At Richmond, Mrs. Byrd chaperoned Miss Virginia Baker.

Miss Grace Anderson, who has been the guest of Mrs. Swannson, at the Executive Mansion, has returned to Alexandria, Va.

Mr. Eugene Crumpton, of the University College, of Medicine, has been the recent guest of his parents in Danville, Va.

Mrs. Strass and Miss Stella Strass are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Roberts, at No. 104 South Third Street.

Mrs. Bahlke, wife of Mr. George W. Bahlke, and her infant son, George, are visiting relatives in Baltimore, Md.

### LECTURE ON JAPAN.

Admiral Webster to Deliver His Popular Talk.

The third number in the Night School Lecture Course, at the Methodist Church, will be delivered on to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, when Admiral Harrie Webster, U. S. N., will give his popular and instructive lecture on Japan and Korea, illustrated with stereoscopic and moving pictures.

The Lecture Course, inaugurated this season by Mr. McL. Jenkins, is in growing favor and will doubtless accomplish much good. The course program is a varied one, and covers a wide field of instruction and amusement. Admiral Webster will be followed on Thursday night by Dr. Whitfield, of Richmond College, who will give a lecture on "The Origin and Development of Glass." The lecture which he delivered a few weeks ago was so interesting and so freely charmed the audience. Other numbers will follow in this series.

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#### Angle Fined in Court.

Special Officer M. R. Angle, of Henrico county, was fined \$25.00 and costs by Justice Crutchfield yesterday morning on the charge of assaulting a woman named Lynch. The evidence was somewhat conflicting, but the weight of the testimony was that Angle had struck the woman in the face.

"I'll make it \$25.00 and costs, but the costs are not like they are in Henrico county before the magistrate," said Justice Crutchfield.

The cost in this case is seventy cents," put in Sergeant Talley.

"Fine a man \$25.00 and costs in the county and he can't get out with less than \$25.00 and Justice Crutchfield."

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#### Antlered Ones to Meet.

The six hundred and thirty-third session of the Richmond Lodge No. 45, B. P. O. Elks, will be held to-night in the Elks' Hall. Many candidates for membership are to be voted upon at this meeting.

Nonresidents of officers for the coming lodge year, which begins April 1st, will be made at the March session.

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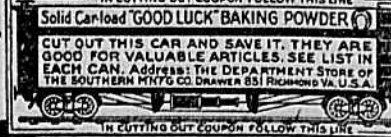
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## TWO NEWSPAPERS WERE VINDICATED

Damage Suits Against the News-Leader and Times-Dispatch Fall Down.

The case of W. T. Day against the News Leader Company, an action for alleged libel, to recover \$10,000, was concluded in the Law and Equity Court yesterday, resulting in a verdict for the defendant company.

A similar case by the same party against the Times-Dispatch Company was non-suited.

The basis of the action against the News Leader was a publication which appeared in that paper July 31st last, to the effect that the plaintiff, who at the time was employed by the Southern Railway Company, had taken an overdose of laudanum.

The Times-Dispatch published a similar news item, properly verified, on August 1st, and Day claimed that he lost his situation by the publication of these news stories, and was otherwise damaged.

Accordingly he brought suit against the News Leader for \$10,000, and against the Times-Dispatch for \$5,000.

In the News Leader case, which was called first, the jury brought in a verdict for the defendant company, after being out only ten minutes. When the case against the Times-Dispatch was called, immediately afterwards, counsel for Day made a motion for a non-suit, which was allowed, and that ended the cases.

### Shockey's Entertainment.

Shockey's Council, No. 895, Royal Arcanum, will hold its regular monthly meeting in Murphy's Annex to-night at 8 o'clock. After the business of the Council the officers will entertain the Council with refreshments and a smoker followed by a musical programme, which is as follows:

Planner, Professor Kirk Matthews; singing by Captain Frank W. Cunningham, Mitchell and Nunnally, Old Hickory Farm Quartette; humorists, Freeman and Wilson, Adam Diacont, music, West End Angels, Davis Banjo Club.

Representatives of the Supreme Council, Executive Committee of the Grand Council, State of Virginia, will be present, who will make speeches. All members are requested to be present at 8 o'clock.

### Motormen Must Pay.

Motormen for the Virginia Passenger and Power Company, who are spending the speed limits with their cars in the future, will have to pay the fines imposed by Justice Crutchfield of the City Court. These fines are never less than \$10, the court having fixed this penalty at the outset, and there is no variation with the One John.

Two cars were reported yesterday morning by Constable Hutton for running greater than fifteen miles an hour. The company offered no defense, and in each case a fine of \$10 was imposed. The company stood for the amount, but it will come out of the salaries of the two motormen.

An official of the street car company after the court said that there was no excuse for the fact that the motormen were speeding, and that when the motormen exceeded the limit they would have to pay the fine, in the event they were convicted.

### Gone to New York.

Mr. C. B. Brooks, member of the City Committee, and a very popular young man of the city, left Monday afternoon for New York where he will spend several days. He is contemplating accepting a position with a New York firm to travel the Southern territory.

While in the metropolis he will visit his friend, Mr. John A. Moran, who for several years was connected with the News Leader, of Richmond, and who is now doing able work on the New York Times.

### SIX YEARS A FUGITIVE.

John Sears, a Murderer, Arrested While Star-Gazing.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SUFFOLK, Va., February 27.—After being a fugitive for over six years, during which he was traced through Canada and finally to Cuba, where he was lost sight of, John Sears, a nearly white negro, went back to the vicinity of his crime, and last evening was arrested in Rocky Mount, N. C. Sears was wanted at Winston, N. C., for the murder of William Henry Keene, nearly seven years ago. The motive was robbery.

Keene had \$200 in currency in his house. Sears called old man Keene to his door and shot him to death. Keene's wife then appeared, and she, too, was shot and crippled for life. Sears fled without securing the money. At one time there was outstanding rewards aggregating nearly \$1,000, but Sears had outwitted all the detectives who sought him. When arrested on the outskirts of Rocky Mount Sears was aimlessly star-gazing, and claimed to be an astronomer.

### STEAMER FOR CUBA.

To Run Between Isle of Pines and Cuban Points.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, Va., February 27.—The steamer Cristobal Colon, which was built by the Bussey and Jones Company, of Wilmington, Del., for the Isle of Pines Steamship Company, of New York, came in here this morning from Wilmington on her maiden trip. She will run between the Isle of Pines, that little island near Cuba, in which Americans recently attempted to set up a government, and other West India Islands. Captain Haneke is in command, and will sail when the vessel has loaded.

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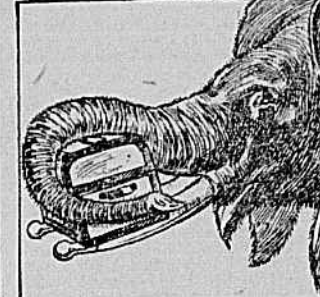
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